UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Donald Anthony Gilliard, #88323-071,)	
Petitioner,)	Civil Action No. 9:06-112-SE
-vs-))	ORDER

Ruth Yancey, Warden, Williamsburg Federal Correctional Institution,

Defendant.

This matter is before the Court on the <u>pro se</u> Petitioner's request for writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241. By local rule, the action was referred to United States Magistrate Judge George C. Kosko for initial review.

On February 23, 2006, the Magistrate Judge issued a report analyzing the issues and recommending that this action be dismissed without prejudice and without issuance or service of process. Attached to the report was a notice advising the Petitioner that he had ten days in which to file specific, written objections. To date, no such objections have been filed.

Absent timely objection from a dissatisfied party, a district court is not required to review, under a <u>de novo</u> or any other standard, a magistrate judge's factual or legal conclusions. <u>Thomas v. Arn</u>, 474 U.S. 140, 150 (1985); <u>Wells v. Shriner's Hosp.</u>, 109 F.3d 198, 201 (4th Cir. 1997). Here, since objections were not filed, there are no portions of the report and recommendation to which a <u>de novo</u> review must be conducted. Accordingly, the Magistrate Judge's report and recommendation is hereby adopted as the order of this Court, and it is



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ORDERED that this action is dismissed without prejudice and without issuance or service of process.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Sol Blatt,

Senior United States District Judge

March <u>2</u>, 2006 Charleston, S.C.